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IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS FOR
CATTLE (Females and Immature Males)
EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES

The animals must be accompanied by a U.S. Origin Health Certificate issued by a veterinarian authorized by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and endorsed by a Veterinary Services (VS) veterinarian. The certificate shall contain the name and address of both the consignor and the consignee and complete identification of the animals to be exported. Additional information shall include:

CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

1. The United States is free of foot-and-mouth disease, rinderpest, contagious bovine pleuropneumonia, lumpy skin disease and Rift-Valley fever.
2. The animals are in good health, physically sound, and free from symptoms of infectious disease.
3. The animals originated from herds clinically free of bovine viral diarrhea, and with no history of infection in the herd.
4. The animals are clinically free of infectious bovine rhinotracheitis (IBR), and were vaccinated against IBR using ts-IBR vaccine, (note date and product used on the health certificate); OR, See Testing Requirement No. 5.
5. The animals originated from areas free of blue tongue; OR, See Testing Requirement No.4.
6. The animals were treated with an acaricidal agent having residual action against ticks within two weeks of exportation. Note the date and product used on the health certificate.
7. The animals were negative to a fecal sedimentation test for fascioliasis within 28 days prior to shipment, and were treated for internal parasites (including flukes) between 7 and 14 days prior to shipment. Note date and product used on the health certificate.

TEST REQUIREMENTS

The animal/s was/were tested within 30 days of embarkation to the Cayman Islands with negative results for the following diseases:

1. Tuberculosis: Intradermal caudal fold test with PPD bovine tuberculin.

2. Brucellosis: Standard tube or standard plate test at 1:50 dilution. Note: no test required for official calfhood vaccinates (OCV) of the beef breed under 24 months of age; such animals must be so indicated on the health certificate.
3. Leptospirosis: Microtiter agglutination test at 1:400 dilution for *L. pomona*, *L. icterohaemorrhagiae*, *L. grippotyphosa*, *L. hardjo*, *L. canicola*.
4. Bluetongue: Agar gel immunodiffusion (AGID) test; or ELISA test; OR See Certification Statement No.5.
5. IBR: Serum neutralization test at 1:2; OR See Certification Statement No.4.
6. Bovine leukosis: AGID test; or ELISA test.

OTHER INFORMATION

1. The animals must be accompanied by an import permit issued by the Chief Agricultural and Veterinary Officer, Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 459, Georgetown, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands. Telephone: 809-949-2222, Fax: 809-945-1476.
2. On arrival at Georgetown, which shall be the sole port of entry, the animals shall be examined by an inspector, who, at his discretion, may order detention in quarantine or refuse permission for the animal to be landed.

EMBARKATION STATEMENT

At the port of embarkation, a VS port veterinarian shall attach to the U.S. Origin Health Certificate, the Certificate of Inspection of Export Animals (VS Form 17-37) showing:

1. The name and address of the consignor.
2. The name and address of the consignee.
3. The number and species of animals to be shipped.
4. A statement that the animals have been given a careful veterinary inspection at the port of embarkation and found free from evidence of communicable disease and exposure thereto within 24 hours of exportation.

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IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS FOR
BULLS (Over Nine Months Old) EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES

The animals must be accompanied by a U.S. Origin Health Certificate issued by a veterinarian authorized by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and endorsed by a Veterinary Services (VS) veterinarian. The certificate shall contain the name and address of both the consignor and the consignee and complete identification of the animals to be exported. Additional information shall include:

CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

1. The United States is free of foot-and-mouth disease, rinderpest, contagious bovine pleuropneumonia, lumpy skin disease and Rift-Valley fever.
2. The animals are in good health, physically sound, and free from symptoms of infectious disease.
3. The animals originated from herds clinically free of bovine viral diarrhea, and with no history of infection in the herd.
4. The animals originated from herds clinically free of infectious bovine rhinotracheitis (IBR), and have not been vaccinated against IBR.
5. The animals originated from areas free of blue tongue; OR See Testing Requirement No.6.
6. The animals were treated with an acaricidal agent having residual action against ticks within two weeks of exportation. Note the date and product used on the health certificate.
7. The animals were negative to a fecal sedimentation test for fascioliasis within 28 days prior to shipment, and were treated for internal parasites (including flukes) between 7 and 14 days prior to shipment. Note date and product used on the health certificate.

TEST REQUIREMENTS

The animal/s was/were tested within 30 days of embarkation to the Cayman Islands with negative results for the following diseases:

1. Tuberculosis: Intradermal caudal fold test with PPD bovine tuberculin.
2. Brucellosis: Standard tube or standard plate test at 1:50 dilution.
3. Leptospirosis: Microtiter agglutination test at 1:400 dilution for *L. pomona*, *L.*

icterohaemorrhagiae, L. grippotyphosa, L. hardjo, L. canicola.

4. Campylobacteriosis: Culture of the preputial smegma.
5. Trichomoniasis: Culture of the preputial smegma.
6. Bluetongue: Agar gel immunodiffusion (AGID) test; or ELISA test; OR See Certification Statement No.5.
7. IBR: Serum neutralization test at 1:2.
8. Bovine leukosis: AGID test; or ELISA test.

OTHER INFORMATION

1. The animals must be accompanied by an import permit issued by the Chief Agricultural and Veterinary Officer, Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 459, Georgetown, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands. Telephone: 809-949-2222, Fax: 809-945-1476.
2. On arrival at Georgetown, which shall be the sole port of entry, the animals shall be examined by an inspector, who, at his discretion, may order detention in quarantine or refuse permission for the animal to be landed.
3. Note: These requirements are to be used for bulls nine months old and older.

EMBARKATION STATEMENT

At the port of embarkation, a VS port veterinarian shall attach to the U.S. Origin Health Certificate, the Certificate of Inspection of Export Animals (VS Form 17-37) showing:

1. The name and address of the consignor.
2. The name and address of the consignee.
3. The number and species of animals to be shipped.
4. A statement that the animals have been given a careful veterinary inspection at the port of embarkation and found free from evidence of communicable disease and exposure thereto within 24 hours of exportation.